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**RESPONSE TO
RESTRICTION/ELECTION
REQUIREMENT**

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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Sir:

In response to the Restriction Requirement mailed October 1, 2004, please enter the following remarks.

Claims 1-36 are pending in the application and subject to a restriction requirement. The Examiner has requested restriction to one of the following inventions (Groups I-II):

I. Claims 1-29, drawn to the compounds, compositions, and methods of use for treating pathological conditions, classified in class 514, subclass 564.

II. Claims 30-36, drawn to methods of treating a condition, which is ameliorated by inhibiting or decreasing serine protease activity, classified in class 514, subclass 211.05.

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Applicants elect to prosecute the invention of Group I (claims 1-29, drawn to compounds, compositions, and methods of use for treating pathological conditions). The Examiner has also requested Applicants to elect a single disclosed species (compound) from the compounds listed in Figure 5A and 5B. In response, Applicants elect Compound D of Figure 5A which corresponds to compounds of the formula of claim 1, wherein each of R², R³ and R^{4a} is hydrogen, n is 1 and q is 0, X is -C(=O)-O-, R¹ is methyl, E is phenyl and T is -C(=NH)NH₂. Claims 1-7, 12-16, 18, 21-23, 25-29 are readable thereon. Applicants reserve the right to file a divisional or related application to the claims of the non-elected Groups.

CONCLUSION

In view of the foregoing, Applicants believe all claims now pending in this Application are in condition for substantive review on their merits. If the Examiner believes a telephone conference would expedite prosecution of this application, please telephone the undersigned at 925-472-5014.

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